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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Othmar GERSCHWILER et al.)
Application No. 10/533,590) Group Art Unit: 3725
Filed: May 3, 2005) Examiner: Rosenbaum, Mark
National Stage of International) Confirmation No. 2290
Application No. PCT/CH2003/000061)
under 35 U.S.C. § 371, for METHOD) **Mail Stop Amendment**
AND DEVICE FOR HUSKING AND)
DEGERMINATING CEREALS)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2008, the period for response which extends to January 9, 2009, by the petition for extension of time and fee payment filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are included in the attached replacement drawing sheet. The amendments are discussed in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include **Two (2) Replacement Sheets** depicting **Fig. 1 and Fig. 2**.